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File No. 35-91

Serial Nos. 167

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 7

Part B for November 189

SUBJECT.

Sanctioning a Special Amildar for the Bangalore City Municipality

Ss. 7.

Sanctioning with certain remarks, the retention of the Special Dy. Amildar of the Bangr. City Municipality, till 31st Dec. 1894 & direct. in future no such appointments shd. be made w.o previous Sanction of Govt.

W D 1250—GPB—30,000 - 28-1-19

Counter-marked S.L. 31/1/27.

MC 35-91

Memorandum

Bangalore city Municipality

The last revision of taxes on Houses and Shops in Bangalore took place in the year 1880 - fully ten years ago The value of property has risen considerably since The town is expanding All available sites are being taken up and built upon. The conditions which determined the assessment 10 years ago have undergone a material change The Mysore State Railway has opened out the country Trade is improving

The population has risen from 63,000 to 80,000 during the decade both all the material improvement in the value of house & shop properties, the income to the Municipality from this source is only 30,000 rupees per annum - a sum which compares very unfavorably with similar Municipal revenue elsewhere It will be conceded that this assessment based on the valuation of properties 10 years ago is unduly low at the present time and requires thorough revision The necessity for this revision is becoming greater on account of—

the inadequacy of the present Municipal income (Rs 1,05,000) to meet the large and growing wants of this important town. Schemes for thoroughly draining the town, a cheap and pure water supply, the daily removal of the night soil, widening the lanes, upkeep of the roads - all these mean an expenditure far in excess of our present revenues. I am confident that a careful revision of the taxes will result in a considerable enhancement of the annual income of the Municipality. For these reasons I would strongly recommend the appointment of a

Special Amildar for the city of Bangalore. This officer will, in addition to the revision of assessment, be charged with the duties of the Collector of — "Municipal taxes" referred to in sec 13 of the Municipal Regn. Laws. He will also be responsible that the accounts of receipts and expenditure are maintained in a proper manner. In this connection I may also state that it is proposed to introduce some changes in the system of book-keeping, calculated to show accurately the demand, collection and balance of Municipal taxes

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The present Collector Swami Dossplay is also the Manager of the Municipal office His Salary is Rs 100 of which Rs 55 is debited to the Head office and Rs 45 to the Collection Department He may continue to draw his present pay Rs 100 as

the Manager of the office
until separate provision
is made for him.
Besides, the combination
of the two functions such
as Collector of revenues
and Manager of Office.
is attended with inconvenience & is in many respects
objectionable.

The necessity for a
responsible adviser to
the Board in Engineering
matters is felt at
every turn. At present
there is an Overseer
on Rs 50 + 15 per month
he is competent to
execute orders, but
he cannot be expected
to supervise & control
the affairs of an important
branch like the P.W.D
of the Municipality

The magnitude of the
charge will be seen
from the fact that the
ordinary expenditure
on public works in a
year is nearly 35,000 lrs
besides the cost of
Establishment The
Control of this large
expenditure requires an
able & experienced Engineer of some standing
and the want of one
has been felt all
along Important ques
tions connected with
the Drainage & Sanitation the
Water supply of the city
and the proposed
extensions to the north
and west of the city
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Also matters relating
to the general improvement
of the city

The C & M station Municipality have appointed an Executive Engineer on a salary of Rs 500 per mensem such an appointment is clearly contemplated under sec 13 of the Municipal regulations. I would therefore propose that an Executive Engineer be appointed on a salary of Rs 150 a month. The pay of this officer may be met from the savings of the Vice Presidents allowance. I may state that with the appointment of the Engineer and the City Amildar, a separate Vice President will not be necessary nor is such an appointment to be under the Act

I shall be glad to perform the duties now devolving upon the Vice President and when I am absent from Head Quarters, the Asstt Commissr in charge of the Treasy who is now my Assistt for the Supervision of Minor Municipalities will carry on the work under my orders

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Mr. B. Tivari
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of the 2nd Class.

Submitted to the Dewan for orders.—
I have no objection to any of the proposals, but the proposal to meet the Municipal pay from Govt funds for some time to come requires the orders of the Dewan. If he has no objection to the proposal, I am issuing orders accepting all the proposals made.—
6/8/91

Submitted to Govt.

I/C Pradhana Sabha
Bangalore
6 Aug 91

President
City Municipality
& Dominion
Bangalore Dist

Submitted to H.H. the Maharaja for favour of Orders -

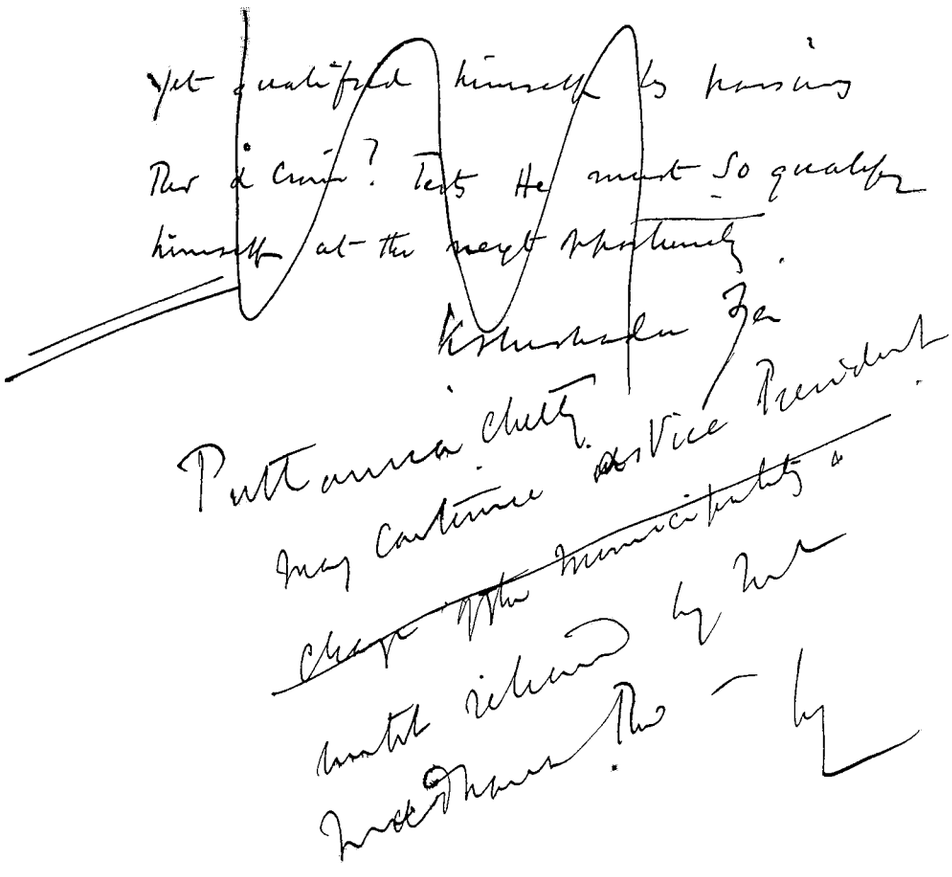
Mr. Madhava Rao's proposals regarding certain arrangements required for Bangalore City are submitted herewith - They have the Concurrence of Mr Chentsal Rao, and I therefore beg to Submit the following recommendations for Sanction.

1. Mr Balvir Nagesa Rao (Amildar of Shikarpur whose present pay is Rs 150) to be lent to the Bangalore Municipality as Special Amildar. His Salary to be increased to Rs 200/- a month, Rs 50 being Contributed by the Municipality - The Amildar may also exercise Magl. functions within the City -

2. Mr Tivari (late Asst. Engr on Rs 250) to be Executive Engr. of the City Municipality on Rs 150 -

3. The Vice Presidentship not to be filled up for the present, the duties of that office being Conducted as suggested by Mr Chentsal Rao, Madhava Rao, after Mr. Puttanna's Chetty being relieved of the same

4. Mr. Puttanna Chetty to be Sub Dy. Opr. Closepett with 2 Cl. Magl powers as a temporary measure. He has not -



Read, the following Memo-
-randum from the Deputy
-Commissioner of the Banga
-lore District, dated 6th
~~October~~ August 1891:-

(Here recite the Memo-
-randum memorandum).

PC. 35-91-1

Order- No 5-631-2 ~~dated~~
11th August 91 L 414

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Chief Secy.

To.

The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore Distc.

The Comptroller to
Mysore Govt.

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dated 11th August 1891.

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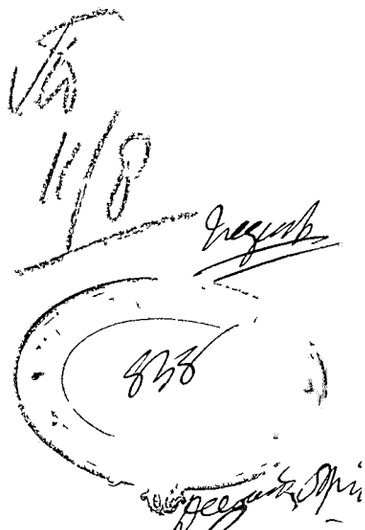

Sanctioning a Special
Cemildar to an Exc:
Empire for the Bangalore
City Municipality

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The necessity for a responsible adviser to the Board in engineering matters is felt at every turn. At present there is an Overseer on Rs. 50+15 per month. He is competent to execute orders, but he cannot be expected to supervise and control the affairs of an important branch like the Public Works Department of the Municipality. The magnitude of the charge will be seen from the fact that the ordinary expenditure on Public Works in a year is nearly Rs. 35,000 besides the cost of Establishment. The control of this large expenditure requires an able and experienced Engineer of some standing and the want of one has been felt all along. Important questions connected with the drainage, sanitation and the water-supply of the City and the proposed extensions to the north and west of the City, remain to be dealt with. Also matters relating to the general improvement of the City. The Civil and Military Station Municipality have appointed an Executive Engineer on a salary of Rs. 500 per mensem. Such an appointment is clearly contemplated under Section 13 of the Municipal Regulations. I would therefore propose that an Executive Engineer be appointed on a salary of Rs. 150 a month. The pay of this officer may be met from the savings of the Vice-President's allowance. I may state that with the appointment of the Engineer and the City Amildar, a separate Vice-President will not be necessary nor is such an appointment obligatory under the Act. I shall be glad to perform the duties now devolving upon the Vice-President and when I am absent from Head-quarters, the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Treasury who is now my Assistant for the supervision of Minor Municipalities will carry on the work under my orders.

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No. 5631-2—L. 414, DATED 11TH AUGUST 1891.

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T. ANANDA ROW,
Chief Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
The Comptroller to Mysore Government.

Exd.—B. G. R.

1891

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

FINANCIAL.

PROCEEDINGS.

Dated 11th August 1891.

No. 5631-2 L. 414.

Sanctioning a Special Amildar and an Executive Engineer for the Bangalore City Municipality.

Mysore Govt. Central Press, Bangalore.—14-8-91.—80.

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Messrs

Offical Memo

With reference to Resolution etc 17 of the Proceedings of the Municipal Board of Bangalore dated 31st July 1894 received with Presidents' etc 15 dated 4th August 1894, the President is requested to ~~submit~~ ~~early~~ ~~submit~~ ~~to~~ ~~this office~~ ~~report~~ ~~forward~~ copies of correspondence in regard to the appointment of a special Deputy Amildar for the City ~~Amildar~~ thereon referred to.

By order

For Chief Secy

L. F. No. 690
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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVT.
Bangalore, 22nd October 1894

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
22 OCT. 94
MYSORE

From

E. R. SUBROYER, Esq.,
Comptroller, Mysore Govt.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

SIR,

I have the honor to state that pay at Rs. 70/ from 21st to 30th April last for an executive officer under the designation of special deputy Amildar was charged in the accounts of the Bangalore city municipality for May 1894. I addressed the President requesting to know the authority under which the said officer was appointed to which he replied that under para 3 clause II of Government Proceedings No. 5127. 5207 & 635 dated 21st June 1892 he was empowered to sanction temporary establishment for 3 months; in reply to which he was informed

owned that the para referred to by him did not relate to Executive officers whose entertainment needed the sanction of Government, pending which no further payments should be made, nevertheless the President still continues to pay the Special Deputy Amildar whose services ought to have been dispensed with immediately after the Lapse of 3 months for which period he contended that he sanctioned his appointment: I therefore request that the orders of Government may be obtained as to whether the charge in question may be admitted or not.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

H Eagles
For Comptroller

Mr

Gen Serial No 397

1894

From

H. R. SUBROKEIR Esq.,
Comptroller to Mysore Govt.

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Dewan of Mysore.

Dated 3 November

Despatched 8-11-94

Received

Enclosures No. 3

General No. 801

No.

In reply to

SUBJECT.

Requesting to be informed whether under clause II of para 3 of Govt Pro. No 5127-5207 dt 635 dt 21st June/92 the Municipal Board are empowered without previous Govt sanction to entertain Executive officers temporarily.

Submitted -

Dy 15/11/94

References—(to be entered only in the Dewan's Office).

In this office No 2711 dt 17-8-94 the Resident was addressed to send up papers regarding the Dy Amildar & although reminders were issued on (1) on 24-9-94, (2) on 20-10-94; and (3) on 9-11-94,

the papers not received -

Submitted -

15-11-94

who drafted the Pro of 21st June 1892. Let may see the order - "Remove Rott" in the words a term Recently

No. [redacted] 801
L.F.

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 3rd November 1894.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
3 - NOV. 94
MYS

From

E. R. SUBROYER, Esq., B.A., L.C.E.,
Comptroller to Mysore Government.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to Government Proceedings No: 6692 L.F. 197-92 dated 31st October 1894 remarking that the reference made by me in letter No: 690 dated 22nd inst. in October 1894, was unnecessary I have the honor now to enclose copies of the as per margin, from which it will be observed that the procedure pointed out by you in the proceedings under reference had been adopted and it was when the President had completely ignored my instructions not to make any further payments till the sanction of Government was obtained and persisted in maintaining the appointment and paying for it that a reference was made to Government.

Docket No: 1 L.F. dated 2nd July 1894 to President Municipal commission Bangalore city.
Docket No: 4 D/ 10th July 1894 from above.
Docket No: 61 L.F D/ 12th July to-do-

From

2. From the last account viz that of September 1894 received in this office, the appointment of the Special City Auditor still continues

3. I would take this opportunity of enquiring whether under Clause II of para 3 of Government Proceedings No: 5127-5207-L635 dated 21st June 1892, the Municipal Boards are empowered without previous Government sanction to entertain temporarily Executive officers of the Kind now under objection

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

Sd Eagle
Accountant

Gen Se al No 31.]

1894

From The Comptroller
Ex. to Sec...

To The President
Municipal Commission
Bangalore City

Dated 2nd
Despatched } July
Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 1 / 47.

Has the honor to request to be informed of the authority under which G Narayan Row was appointed Special Deputy Amildar, of the Bangalore City Municipality; & in the column of Remarks of the Bill charged in the List of Payments for May 1894, — "Pay due from 21st to 30th April 1894 at Rs 70 per mensem"

[illegible]

in reply that the President has authority to entertain temporary establishments for a period of 3 months under instructions contained in Para 3 Clause II — Government Pro No 5127-520; dt 635-

dated 21st June 1892

(Signed) K Sreenivasa Rau
Vice President

"Copy"

A Baum
Check Master
to the Comptroller
Q Mysore

(General Serial No. 30.)

1894.

From The Comptroller

Ex. to Sec.

To The President
Bangalore city
municipality

Dated 12th }
Despatched } July

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 61
No. L.7

With reference to Vice Presidents No 4 dated 10th July 1894, re- the appointment of Special deputy Amildar, has the Govr to state that the Presidents Construction of Para 3 of Government Pro. No. 5127-5207. dated. 21st June 1892 does not apply, in asmuch as it relates to the entertainment of emoluments for a period of

L. 635

3 months in a year, and not to the temporary entertainment of an executive officer, which cannot be done without sanction of Government. It is therefore requested that he will be good enough to carry out the instructions conveyed in this office No. 1/2.7 dated 2nd July 1894 as required by article 16 chapter I of the Civil Account Code.

(Signed) E. R. Sabrayer
Comptroller

"Copy"

P. Baum
Chief Asstt
to the Comptroller
of Mysore.

Emergent

MC. 35-91-5

(1) Docket dy 2/7/94 etc $\frac{1}{L.F}$ to the President Bangalore City Mun.
(2) — do — dy 10/7/94 etc 4 from the — do —
(3) — do — dy 12/7/94 etc $\frac{61}{L.F}$ to — do — do

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L.F. 197-92 dy 19/11/94

Read:

Letter dated 3rd ctnr 1894 etc $\frac{801}{L.F}$ from the Comptroller submitting, with reference to Govt Proceedings dated 31st Oct. 1894 etc $\frac{6692}{L.F 197\ 92}$, copies of the correspondence between himself and the President of the Bangalore City municipality, in regard to the appointment of a Special Deputy Amildar of the City of Bangalore and reporting that the President completely ignored his instruction to discontinue further payment ~~to~~ to the Dy Amildar till the sanction of Govt was obtained, and enquiring whether under clause II of Para 3 of Proceedings dated 21st June '80

No $\frac{5127\ 5207}{L635}$, the Municipal Boards are empowered without previous sanction of Government to entertain temporarily executive officers of the kind now under objection

—x—

Order thereon

The President has not up to this, replied to the reference made by Government in official Memorandum, No $\frac{2711}{L7197\ 92}$, dated 17 August 1894, requesting the submission of the correspondence relating to the appointment of the Special Deputy Amildar and to the several reminders noted in the margin. The Government are surprised at the reticence of the President, who

(1) No $\frac{5239}{L7197\ 92}$ of 21st September 1894
(2) No $\frac{6127}{197\ 92}$ of 20 October 1894
3 No $\frac{6692}{197\ 92}$ of 31st do do
(4) No $\frac{7138}{197\ 92}$ of 8 November do

who is now requested to submit the entire correspondence called for, including minutes of discussions of the members of the Board, within 24 hours from the receipt of this order, with explanation on the following points –

(1) When the appointment of the Special Dy Amaldar for collection of taxes was made?

(2) Why the previous sanction of Government was not obtained, the appointment being one of the matters reserved to in sec 13 of the Municipal Regulations?

(3) Why no reference to Government was made even

after the objection taken
by the Comptroller to the
appointment.

15/11/94

14-11-94

To the President, Bangalore city Municipality
& Comptroller in Mysore -

6670 / L1438 ✓ 25-11-94 Comptroller's Proceedings dated 23rd November 1894

PC. 35-91.

From

The President
City Municipality
Bangalore

To

The Chief Secretary
to the Dewan of Mysore

Sir,

In reply to the Proceedings of the Government No 7889-90 L7 197-92 dated Bangalore 19th November 1894 and the order No 2711 L7 197-92 dated 17th August 1894 calling for explanation in regard to the employment of a special Deputy Amildar in the Bangalore City Municipality I have the honor to report as follows —

2. Several years ago the Board resolved to widen

improve the Kaziwada war a
temple street connecting the Jalsh
cutcherry Road with the Sultan
-pet Road, but very little was
done in execution of it, as
portions of lands and houses —
lying on either side of the street
had to be acquired — a work
which is always very tedious
and troublesome and for which the
executive officers of the Municipality
whose time and attention are already
more than fully occupied by the
ordinary run of duties, could not
find the requisite time. A few
houses had been acquired and pulled
down and the debris lay in the
street. The long inexaction of the
work was a continued source of
serious inconvenience to the —
people. A committee of commissioners
tried to settle compensation, but
the figure arrived at was —
very high, and I was not pre —
pared to recommend its accep
tance by the Board. With the
tion of bringing this unsatis
-factory

State of things to a speedy conclusion, I reported to the Board assembled at a meeting that, if they would not object to it, I would employ a special official to acquire the lands and pay him out of the allotment for the work. This was agreed to. G. Narayana Rao, who, as Taluk Sheristadar of Bangalore, had exhibited a special capacity for this kind of work, was appointed on his own permanent pay of Rs 50. as Head Accountant in the District Treasury with a carriage allowance of Rs 20. a month, as the special work needed going about for negotiating with owners of the properties concerned. He was so appointed in April 1894. He did his special work well and showed a saving larger than the extra cost entailed by his appointment

The board had in February 1894 resolved to widen and improve several other narrow

lanes and the matter was under investigation. Narayana Rao was employed in connection with it, as also in aiding the Vice President in the revision of taxes which was (and is still) in progress, in collection of taxes, and in checking the revenue derivable from the issue of miscellaneous licenses such as for carts, cart-stands, wood-yards &c, which needed honest supervision.

At first Narayana Rao was called "special officer", but for the settlement of compensation, he had, sometimes, to require the attendance of persons before him, as it was neither dignified nor desirable that he should go to owners of properties irrespective of their social status; and legally no other officer could summon a person to appear before another officer. To get over this difficulty, I allowed him to sign as Deputy Amildar, as it did not involve any extra expense.

My orginal plan, which the Board, at a meeting, fully concurred in, in February 94, was to run several parallel streets across the city like the Doddapet or main Bazaar street and the cotton-pet street in order to give lungs to the highest conjested parts of the city and to reduce the present crush on the main roads such as the Jalak-kutcherry road and the Doddapet Road. In pursuance of this object the Kasivisweswara temple street, above referred to, has been improved and thereby easy passage from the Kichi-kutti Chatram Road (continuation of the District office Road) up to the Sultanpet Road has been established; the narrow end of the Akkipet road has been broadened and improved; the improvement of the new Thigalarpet Road and of the Rajipete Road is in progress. My intention was to increase our —

revenue in order to meet the cost of a steady and rapid progress of these desirable improvements; - but the Board deferred the consideration of my proposals to increase the revenue pending the passing of the new Regulation. I then saw that we could not annually make our allotment from our present resources sufficiently large to justify the employment of an expensive official, and wanted to dispense with his services, when the Vice President brought to my notice a comparatively large increase of revenue under miscellaneous heads such as have been indicated above, which are, from their nature, capable of expansion and contraction from constant honest supervision or the lack of it, and suggested the continuance of this special appointment. I placed, then, the matter before the Board, and it was considered by it on the 28th August 94, when, after a thorough discussion.

it was resolved to make a trial for 6 months longer

The above is the true history of the origen and continuance of the appointment in question.

As regards the question as to why I have not obtained the sanction of the Government, my intention has, from the very conception of the idea, been to report it to the Government and obtain its sanction. But for certain reasons personally explained I have not been able to do so. In the meantime, however, the Comptroller pressed me for my authority, and on July 94 I referred him to the proceedings of Government No 5727-507-2635 dated 20th June 1892, under which the President has authority to entertain temporary establishments for 3 months in a year. He again wrote to me drawing a distinction between "Temporary establishments" and "executive officers". This was in July 94

Though I could not agree with him I wanted to know what the intention of the Board was regarding the continuance of the office and then to decide what reply I should give. The Board decided to make a trial for 6 months longer, and it then became necessary to obtain the sanction of the Government.

Reading the order of the Government of the 20th June 1892 with sec 15 of the Municipal Regulations I fail to see the cogency of the Comptroller's contention. With the exception of the appointments mentioned in sections 12 and 13, the President, I submit, has authority to entertain temporary establishments irrespective of any distinction. It is to be noted that the word "collection" in connection with this appointment was for the first time introduced into the Board's resolution of the 28th August 1894. The object of

Narayana Rao's appointment was and has been the negotiation for the acquisition of lands and houses, though, during the time he was not so employed, he was employed to aid the Vice President generally, which included collection. It is also to be noted that the main — usefulness of Narayana Rao's — services recommended by the — Vice President was in checking miscellaneous items which require control. Narayana Rao's duties, can, I submit, in no way be construed as those of a collector contemplated by the Municipal Regulations. If this view is correct, the sanction of Government is not needed so far as 1893-94 is concerned, as the appointment dates from April. nor is it necessary for the first three months of 1894-95.

I admit, however, that the choice of the name was not well considered. But the name is immaterial, and if the Government should see any objection to it, it might be altered into one more appropriate. perhaps "special assessor" may answer the purpose.

I should very much like to shew to the Government by means of figures how Narayanaswami's appointment has, by savings and earnings, resulted in a net profit to the Board, which is a fact; but unfortunately, being out in camp, I am unable to command the figures; and if I were to send for them, it would delay this report.

I beg, finally, to request the Government to sanction the appointment, if necessary, from

the very beginning, and, if not necessary, from after the first three months of 1894-95. The Board's resolution of the 28th August 94 sanctions the retention of the official for 6 months longer, which carries it to the 28th of February 95.

The correspondence relating to the subject which has been sent up to me here, is enclosed with a list.

Should the Government desire for any further information or for more records the same will be furnished.

I have the honor to be
sir
your most obedient servant

Mir Shujaat Ali
President City Municipality
Bangalore

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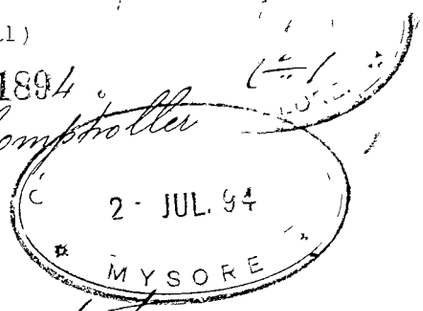

To The President
Municipal Commission
Bangalore City

Dated 2nd

Despatched 3rd July 1894

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( ) Enclosures No

General No. 1

No. 27

Has the honor to request to be informed of the authority under which G. Narayan Rao was appointed Special Deputy Amildar of the Bangalore City Municipality; In the column of Remarks of the Bill charged in the List of Payments for May 1894, for pay due from 21st to 30th April 1894 at Rs 70/ per mensem, it has been entered "Vide Presidents Memo dated 9th April 1894 but this cannot be accepted by this Office as an authority for the charge being incurred

If the appointment has not been sanctioned by Government such sanction should be obtained at once and no further payments should be made. This charge as well as any subsequent expenditure incurred prior to the receipt of this letter will be debited to "Advances Recoverable" against the President of the Municipality in the accounts of this Office

E W Bonnyman
Comptroller.

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From The Comptroller

1894/95 Vol 4

To

The Comptroller
of Mysore
Bangalore

Enclosure No

From Vol /

Dated 10th
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No -

Subject

Acknowledging receipt of
letter No 1
dated 2nd/3rd - Instant
re- the appointment
of a Special Deputy
Commissioner for the
City of Bangalore

Yours

Hon. the Lieut. Governor in Council has authority to entertain temporary establishments for a period of 3 months under Part 3, Class II Ministerial Circular in Office Gazette Gazette Regulations No 5127 — 5207 L. 635 dated 21st June 1892 — Part 3, Class II

Asst

Vice President

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BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE
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To The President
Bangalore City
Municipality

Dated 12
Despatched 13. July
Received

Enclosures No.
General No. 61
No. 27.

Ex. to Serial No. 6

Received in a cover addressed to the Vice President

Submitted with all references bearing on the subject.

Ky
16/7.

Should I have ordered this subject to be brought before the Meeting. If so wait till then: if not, put it for meeting

Put this up with the papers
Ky
23/7

Letter reference to Vice President's No 4 dated 10th July 1894, re the appointment of a special Deputy Amildar, has the honour to state that the President's construction of para 3 of Government Proceedings No 5127-5207 / L 635 dated 21st June 1892 does not apply inasmuch as it relates to the entertainment of temporary establishments for a period of 3 months in

in any case and not to the temporary
Executive Officer, which could not be done
the sanction of Government. It is therefore
queried that he will be good enough to carry
the instructions conveyed in this Office No 27
2nd July 1894, as required by Article 16 chapter I of
the Civil Account Code.

D Montgomerie
Comptroller

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Read

Letter dated 23 Nov 19.

without No. from the President of the Bangalore City Municipality submitting explanation called for ~~vide Govt~~ by Govt in regard to the appointment of a Special Auditor for the City.

L.L 1340

8669-70 Order thereon

L7.197-92 & 30/11/94

The explanation furnished by the Reside is not satisfactory. ~~It is strongly urged~~ It is strongly urged that the creation even temporarily of the appointment of an Officer like a Special Deputy Auditor was ~~not~~ written in the meaning of temporary Establishment which under ~~Referred to~~ in para 3 clause

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~~II~~ of Govt

21st June 1892 the Board are authorized to appoint for three ~~M~~ a period not exceeding three months.

In the present case even the limit of three months was exceeded and no report was made to Govt. The Comptroller's reasonable objection was not heeded and it was after repeated reminders from the Govt that the Resident has submitted his report more than six months after the creation of the appointment of the Special Dy Collector.

The Govt are not satisfied that the appointment was necessary, as the full time resident ought to have

been able to manage, with the assistance of his existing Municipal subordinates, the work entrusted to Narayanpet. The Resident will despatch with the terms of the S.R. by Amildar immediately on receipt of this order and submit for his pay salary for the whole period he was detained showing the provision with Mun! Budget which it can be met and adjusted.

4 In future no temporary appointments shall be made without the previous sanction of the Govt the temporary establishment

Referred to in
~~re authorized to entertain~~
~~under~~ the order above of 21 June 92
~~which~~ will be ~~of~~ to be understood to be of the
nature of servants or clerks
in a cost not exceeding
Rs 2 a month and enter-
tainable only in very
urgent cases when
there is no time to obtain the previous
sanction of Govt.
In cases such appointments
are made, the fact should
be reported for the information
of Govt and communication
to the Comptroller

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To The President, Bangalore City &c &c
Comptroller in Mysore
Residents &c &c
All other Municipalities

Memo
No 8731-40
Dt 197-92

21/12/94.
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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore (Local Boards Branch—Municipal), —dated 30th November 1894.

READ :—

Letter dated 23rd November 1894, without No, from the President of the Bangalore City Municipality, submitting explanation called for by Government in regard to the appointment of a Special Deputy Amildar for the City.

No. 8669-70—L. F. 197-92, DATED, BANGALORE, 30TH NOVEMBER 1894.

ORDER THEREON.—The explanation furnished by the President is not satisfactory. The "temporary establishment" referred to in para 3, clause III of Government Proceedings No. 5127-5207—L. 635, dated 21st June 1892, was intended to apply only to ministerial appointments on small salaries but not to higher appointments, much less the creation even temporarily of the appointment of an officer like a Special Deputy Amildar.

2. In the present case even the limit of three months was exceeded and no report was made to Government. The Comptroller's objection was not heeded, and it was after repeated reminders from the Government that the President has submitted his report, more than six months after the appointment was made.

3. The Government are not satisfied that the appointment was necessary, as the full time Vice-President ought to have been able to manage, with the assistance of his existing Municipal subordinates, the work entrusted to Narayan Rao. However, as the appointment has been made by the President with the concurrence of the Board for a temporary period, the President is requested to dispense with the services of the Special Deputy Amildar on 31st December 1894, and submit a bill for salary for the whole period he was entertained to the Comptroller for audit. The charge will be met out of the general savings of the Municipal Budget.

4. In future no such appointments should be made without the previous sanction of the Government, and the temporary establishment referred to in the order of 21st June 1892, will be understood to be of the nature of servants or clerks at a cost not exceeding Rs. 20 a month, and entertainable only in very emergent cases when there is no time to obtain the previous sanction of Government.

T. ANANDA ROW,
Chief Secretary.

To—The President of the Bangalore City Municipality.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Memo. No. 8731-40—L. F. 197-92, dated 1st December 1894.

To—Presidents of all other Municipalities.

Exd.—A.N.S.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

LOCAL BOARDS BRANCH—MUNICIPAL

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 30th November 1894.

No. 8669-70
L.F. 197-92

Sanctioning, with certain remarks, the retention of the Special Deputy Amildar of the Bangalore City Municipality till 31st December 1894, and directing that in future no such appointments should be made without the previous sanction of Government.

M.G.C.P.B.—6-12-94—120